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Amend Senate File 538 as follows:
      2 \pm1. Page 1, by striking lines 5 through 8 and
      3 inserting the following: <society resulting from
      4 injury to or death of a minor child and may recover
      5 for the expense and actual loss of services,
      6 companionship, and society resulting from the death of
      7 an adult child.
      8 Sec. ____. Secti
9 to read as follows:
                          Section 633.336, Code 2007, is amended
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            633.336 DAMAGES FOR WRONGFUL DEATH.
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            When a wrongful act produces death, damages
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    12 recovered as a result of the wrongful act shall be
    13 disposed of as personal property belonging to the 14 estate of the deceased; however, if the damages
  1 15 include damages for loss of services and support of a
    16 deceased spouse, and parent, or child, the damages 17 shall be apportioned by the court among the surviving
  1 18 spouse, and children, and parents of the decedent in a
  1 19 manner as the court may deem equitable consistent with
     20 the loss of services and support sustained by the
    21 surviving spouse, and children, and parents
  1 22 respectively. Any recovery by a parent for the death 1 23 of a child shall be subordinate to the recovery, if 1 24 any, of the spouse or a child of the decedent. If the
  1 25 decedent leaves a spouse, child, or parent, damages 1 26 for wrongful death shall not be subject to debts and
     27 charges of the decedent's estate, except for amounts
    28 to be paid to the department of human services for
     29 payments made for medical assistance pursuant to
    30 chapter 249A, paid on behalf of the decedent from the 31 time of the injury which gives rise to the decedent's
    32 death up until the date of the decedent's death.>
    33 <u>#2.</u> By renumbering as necessary.
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